

114TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2241

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## AN ACT

To direct the Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development to submit to Congress a report on the development and use of global health innovations in the programs, projects, and activities of the Agency.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2       This Act may be cited as the “Global Health Innova-  
3 tion Act of 2015”.

4 **SEC. 2. ANNUAL REPORT.**

5       (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the  
6 date of the enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter  
7 for a period of 4 years, the Administrator of the United  
8 States Agency for International Development shall submit  
9 to Congress a report on the development and use of global  
10 health innovations in the programs, projects, and activities  
11 of the Agency.

12       (b) MATTERS TO BE INCLUDED.—The report re-  
13 quired by subsection (a) shall include the following:

14               (1) A description of—

15                       (A) the extent to which global health inno-  
16 vations described in subsection (a) include  
17 drugs, diagnostics, devices, vaccines, electronic  
18 and mobile health technologies, and related be-  
19 havior change and service delivery innovations;

20                       (B) how innovation has advanced the  
21 Agency’s commitments to achieving an HIV/  
22 AIDS-free generation, ending preventable child  
23 and maternal deaths, and protecting commu-  
24 nities from infectious diseases, as well as  
25 furthered by the Global Health Strategic  
26 Framework;

1 (C) how goals are set for health product  
2 development in relation to the Agency's health-  
3 related goals and how progress and impact are  
4 measured towards those goals;

5 (D) how the Agency's investments in inno-  
6 vation relate to its stated goals; and

7 (E) progress made towards health product  
8 development goals.

9 (2) How the Agency both, independently and  
10 with partners, donors, and public-private partner-  
11 ships, is—

12 (A) leveraging United States investments  
13 to achieve greater impact in health innovation;

14 (B) engaging in activities to develop, ad-  
15 vance, and introduce affordable, available, and  
16 appropriate global health products; and

17 (C) scaling up appropriate health innova-  
18 tions in the development pipeline.

19 (3) A description of collaboration and coordina-  
20 tion with other Federal departments and agencies,  
21 including the Centers for Disease Control and Pre-  
22 vention, in support of global health product develop-  
23 ment, including a description of how the Agency is  
24 working to ensure critical gaps in product develop-  
25 ment for global health are being filled.

1           (4) A description of how the Agency is coordi-  
2           nating and aligning global health innovation activi-  
3           ties between the Global Development Lab, the Cen-  
4           ter for Accelerating Innovation and Impact, and the  
5           Bureau for Global Health.

Passed the House of Representatives December 18,  
2015.

Attest:

*Clerk.*



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